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1. Professor Mihail Ralea, former Rumanian Minister to Washington, has been arrested. He was a National Peasant who had placed himself at the disposal of the Communists as he had previously done with respect to the dictatorial regime of King Carol II\*. Professor Ralea was recalled from Washington in 1949, he was living in retirement and was no longer active in politics when arrested.
2. Mihail Jora, a noted composer, who was arrested and sentenced in 1949, after he had extolled the personality of King Mihai I, in a meeting of the society of artists and composers, died in the Aiud jail in Transylvania where political convicts are confined. Only after his burial were his next of kin notified.

Comment: Mihail Ralea later became a member of Petru Groza's  
Peasants Front.

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